



**Office of Behavioral Health**  
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**COLORADO**

Department of Human Services



# Colorado Department of Human Services

## Mission

Collaborating with our partners, our mission is to design and deliver high quality human and health services that improve the safety, independence and well-being of the people of Colorado

## Vision

The people of Colorado are safe, healthy and are prepared to achieve their greatest aspirations.

## Values

The Colorado Department of Human Services will:

- Make decisions with and act in the best interests of the people we serve because Colorado's success depends on their well-being.
- Share information, seek input, and explain our actions because we value accountability and transparency.
- Manage our resources efficiently because we value responsible stewardship.
- Promote a positive work environment, and support and develop employees, because their performance is essential to Colorado's success.
- Meaningfully engage our partners and the people we serve because we must work together to achieve the best outcomes.
- Commit to continuous learning because Coloradans deserve effective solutions today and forward-looking innovation for tomorrow.



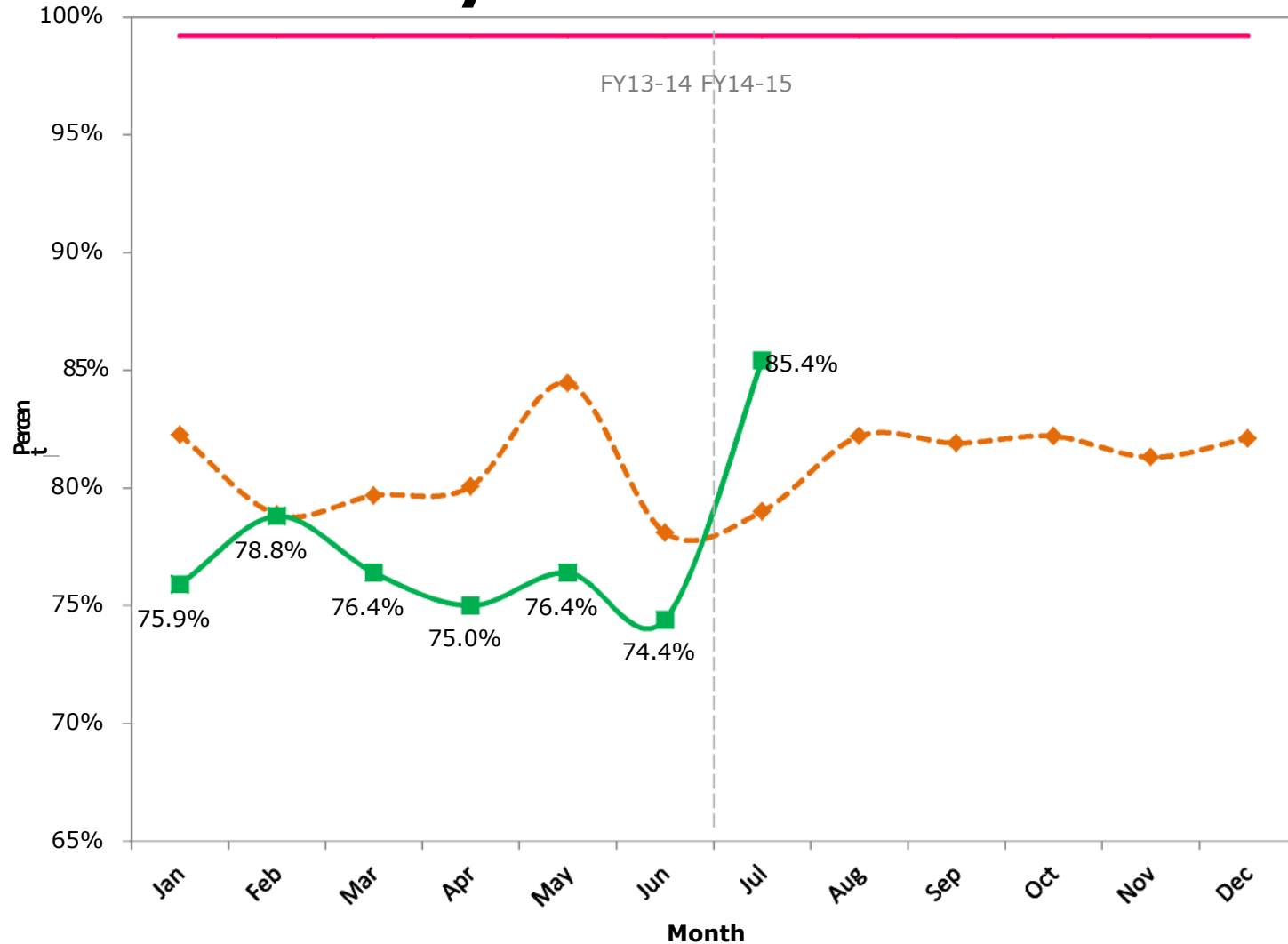
# Percent of Persons who Gained SUD Access

Description of Trend: As of July 1, 2014, methodology for this measure changed. There is only one data point available.

Numerator: **4\*** of persons admitted into outpatient SUD treatment within 3 days from the date of first contact.  
July numerator: 767

Denominator: **4\*** of persons admitted to outpatient SUD treatment.  
July denominator: 898

## within 3 Days or Fewer - Statewide

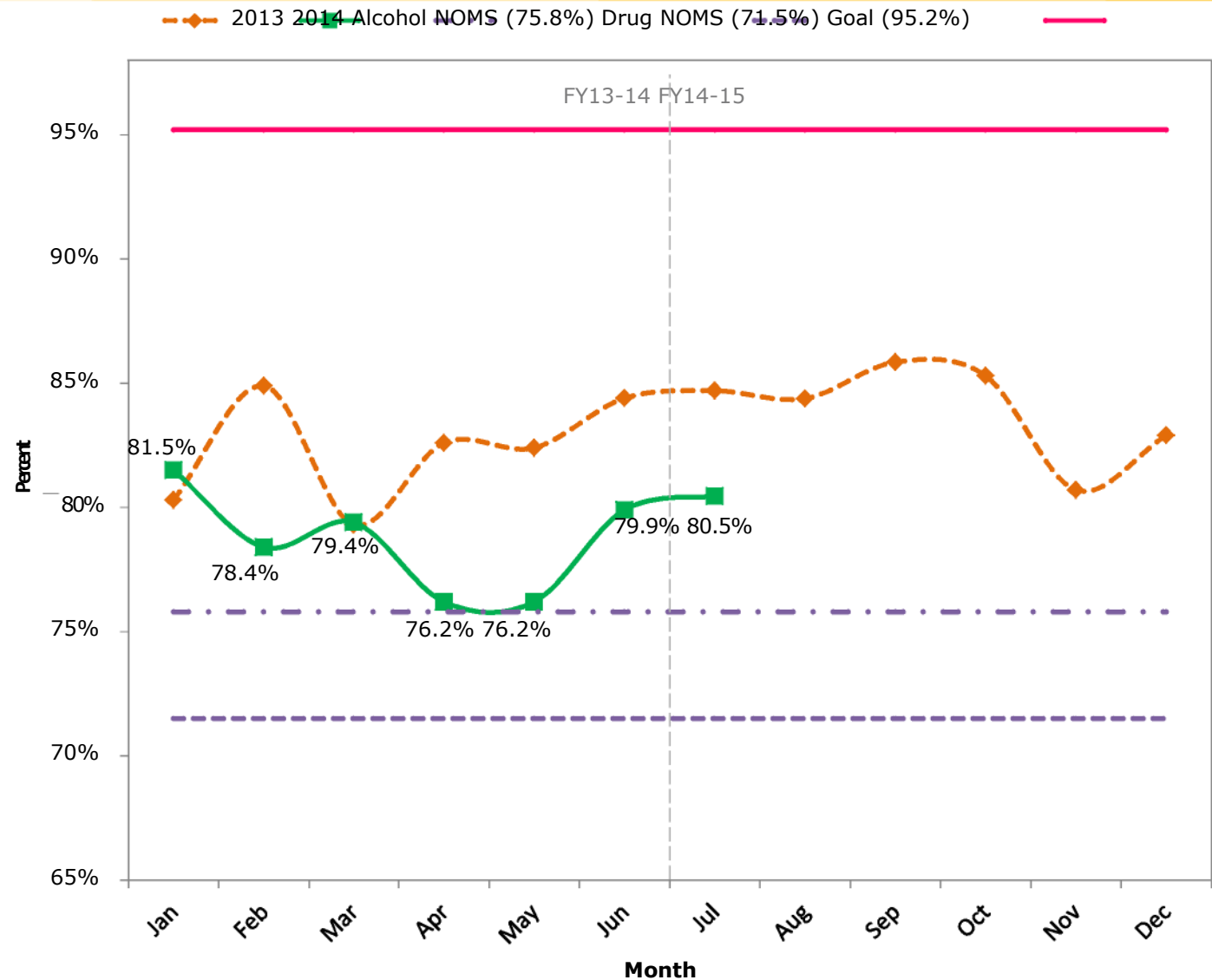


# Reduction of Substance Use - Statewide

Description of Trend: As of July 1, 2014, methodology for this measure changed. There is only one data point available.

Numerator: # of persons who reduced their use of substances at discharge. July numerator: 284

Denominator: # of discharged persons receiving substance use disorder treatment who were using substances at admission. July denominator: 353





# Percent of Persons Engaged in

## MH Services - Statewide

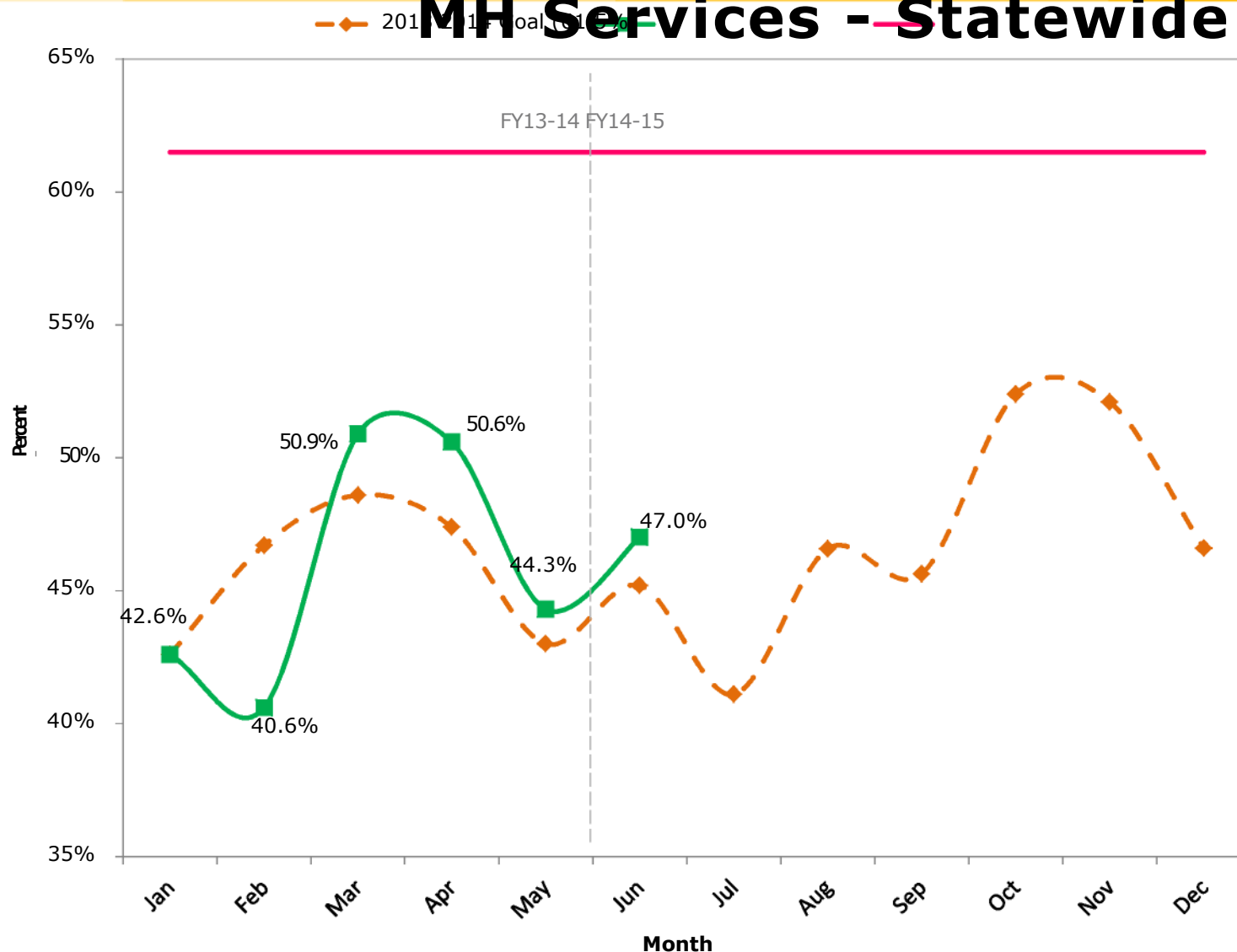
### Description of Trend:

Engagement rates increased by 2.7% over the past month.

Numerator: Percent of clients engaged within 45 days of admit (4 or more days with an eligible services).

June numerator: 236

Denominator: All admissions.  
June denominator: 502

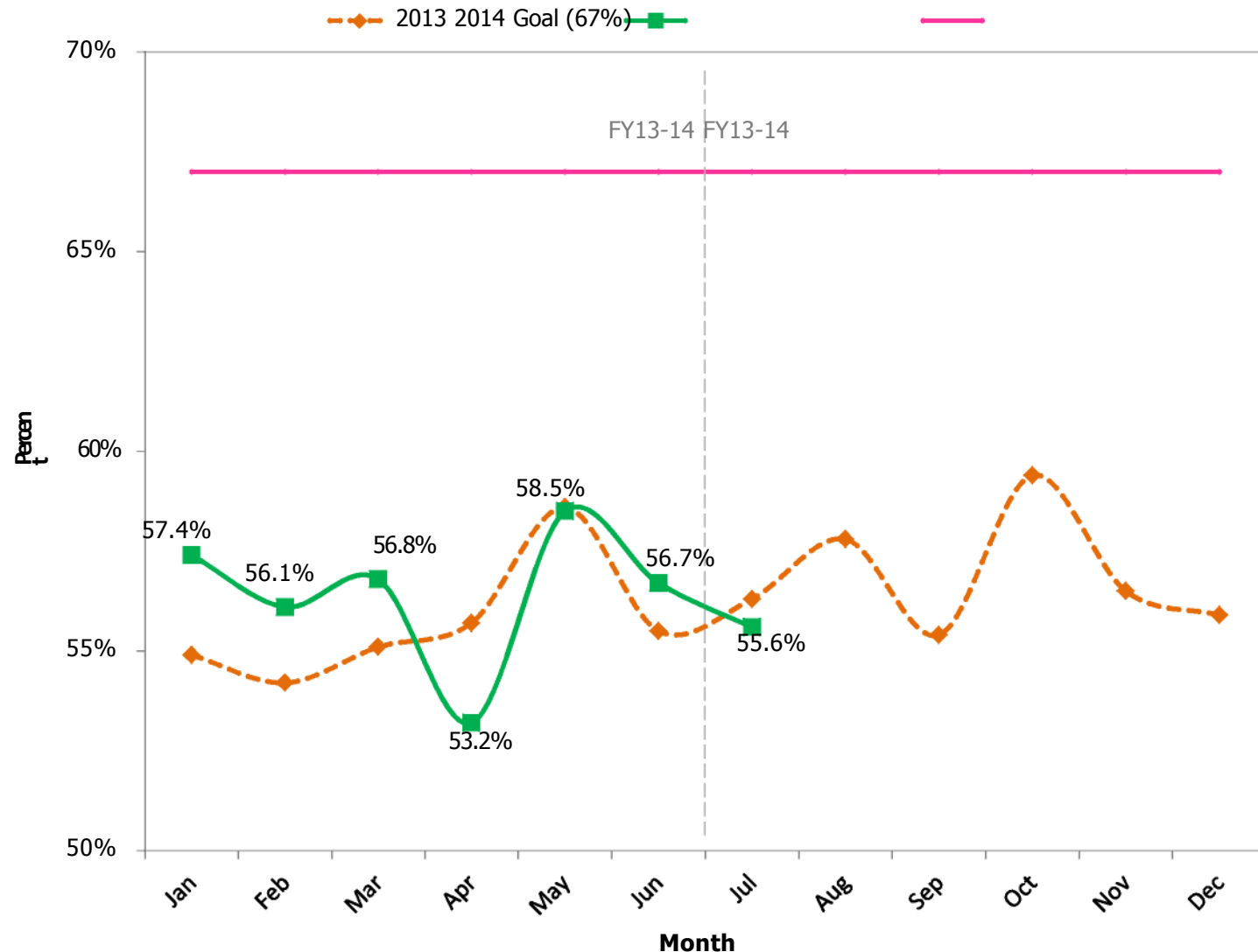


# Improvement in MH Symptom Severity

Description of Trend: As of July 1, 2014, methodology for this measure changed. There is only one data point available.

Numerator: # of persons with lesser symptom severity at follow-up.  
July numerator: 814

Denominator: # of discharged persons receiving mental health treatment who report significant symptom severity at admission.  
July denominator: 1464





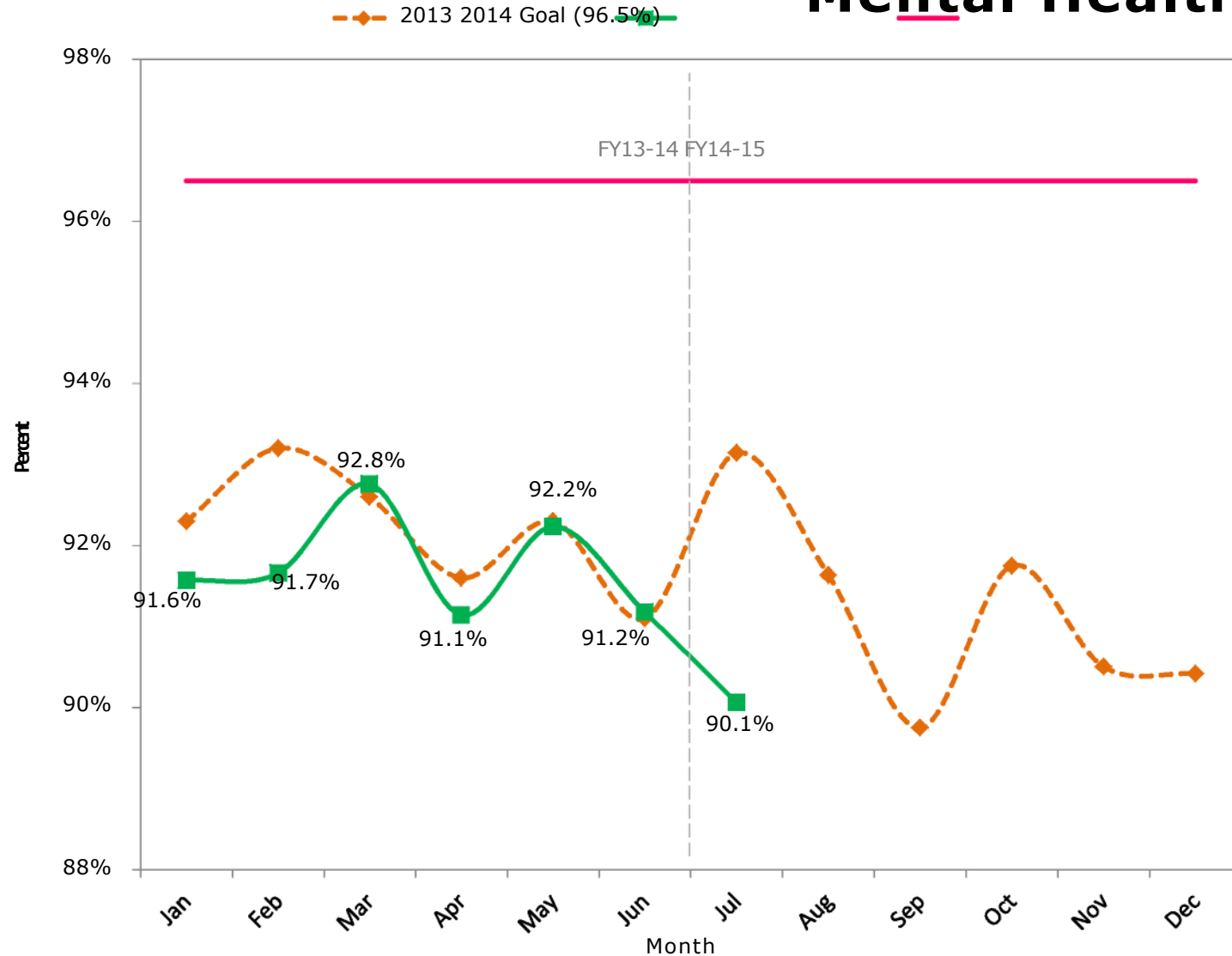
# Maintained or Improved Housing Statewide –

## Mental Health

Description of Trend: As of July 1, 2014, methodology for this measure changed. There is only one data point available.

Numerator: **4\*** of persons who maintained or improved their housing situation.  
July numerator: 1514

Denominator: **4\*** of persons who discharged or had an updated CCAR in the month that were receiving mental health services at Time 1.  
July denominator: 1681



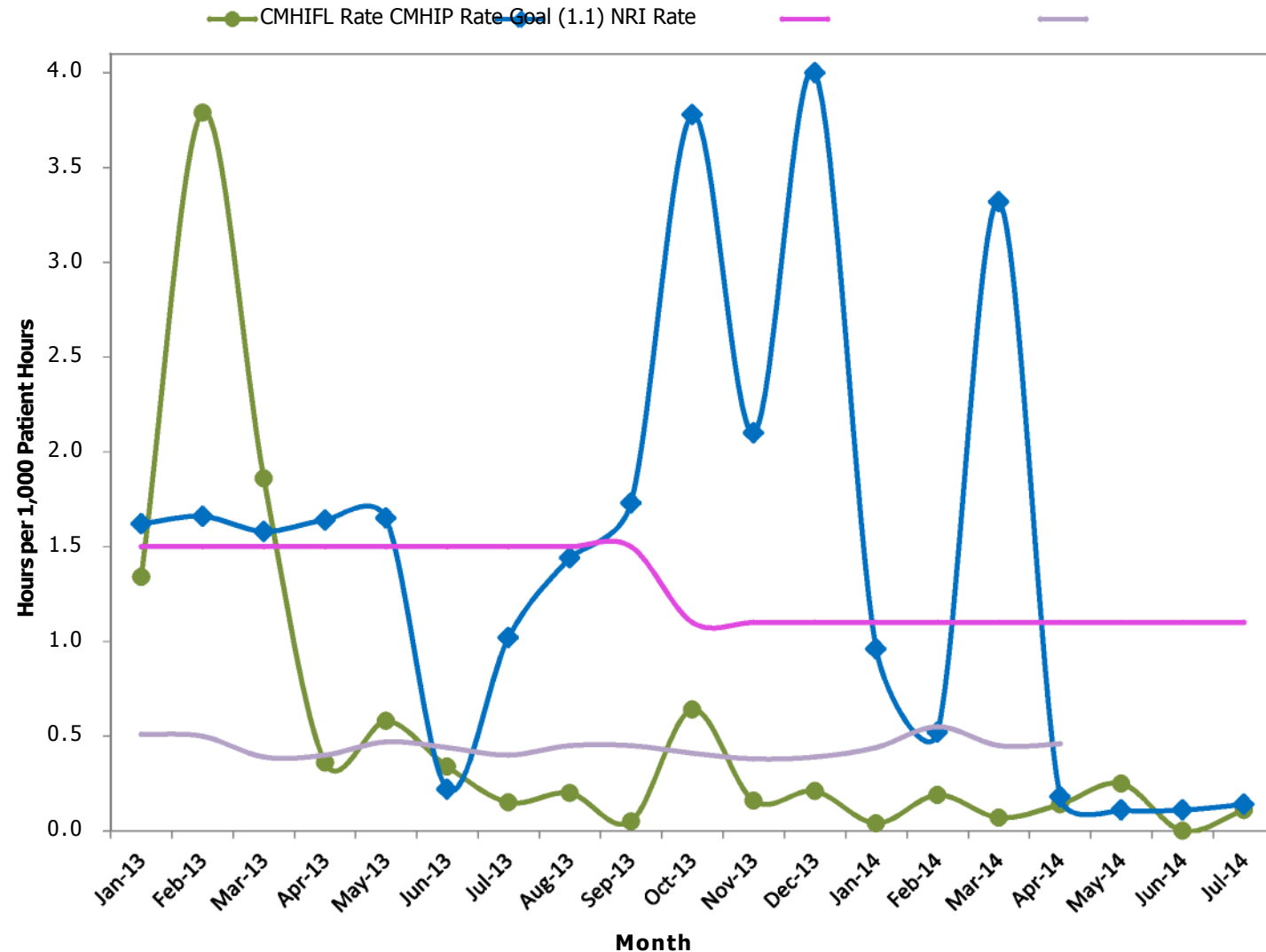
# Seclusion Use – CMHIFL & CMHIP

Description of Trend: CMHIP has remained below the goal for four consecutive months, while CMHIFL has remained below the goal since April 2013.

Most recent rate –  
CMHIFL: 0.11  
CMHIP: 0.14

Numerator: # hours of seclusion.  
CMHIFL: 9.05  
CMHIP: 64.25

Denominator: Per 1,000 patient hours.  
CMHIFL: 34.55  
CMHIP: 311.26





# Restraint Use – CMHIFL & CMHIP

## Description of Trend:

Both Institutes saw an increase in restraint use over the past month.

Most recent rate –

CMHIFL: 0.26

CMHIP: 0.50

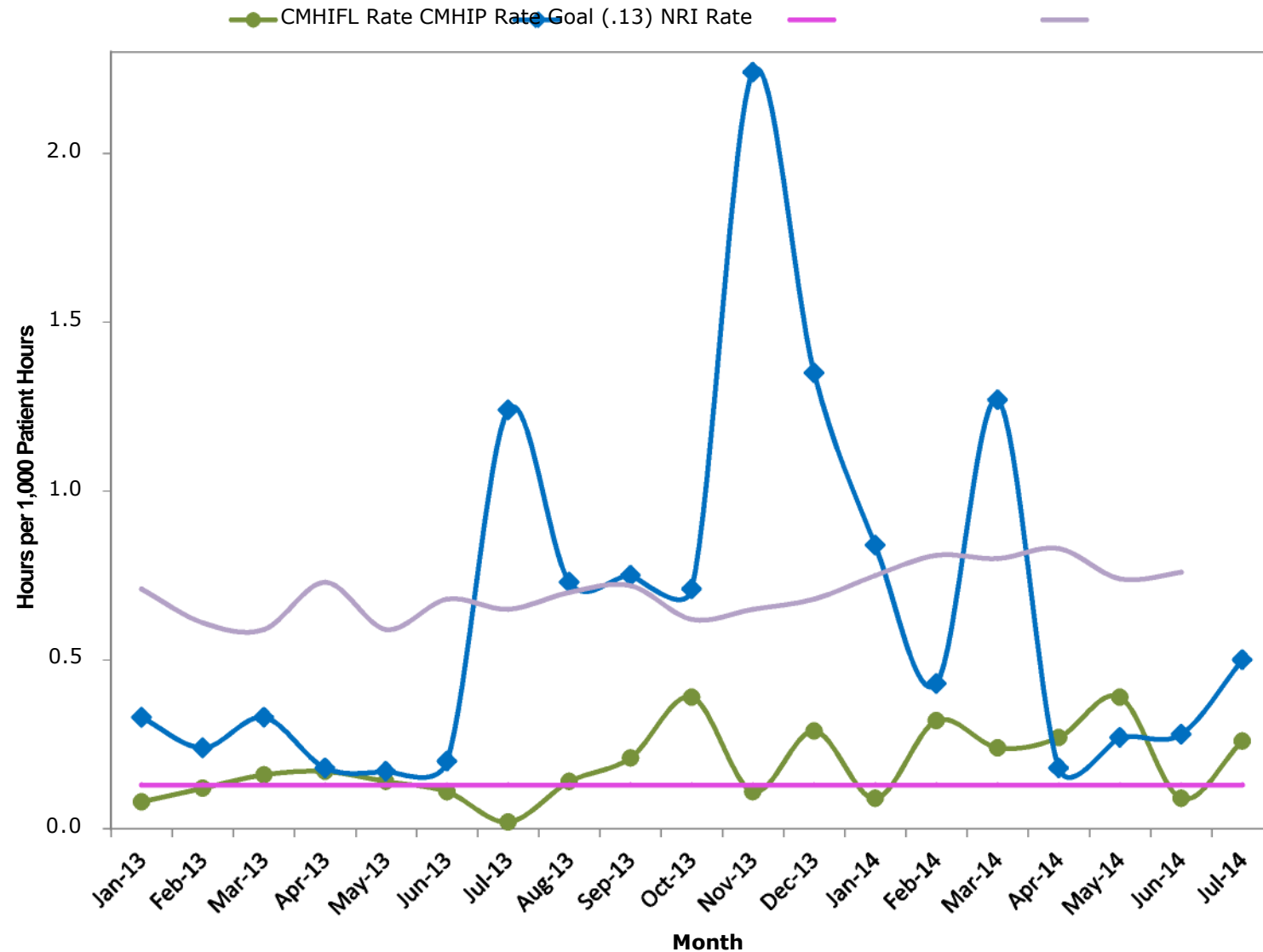
Numerator: # hours of restraint.

CMHIFL: 16.53

CMHIP: 156.95

Denominator: Per 1,000 patient hours. CMHIFL:

64.25 CMHIP: 311.95



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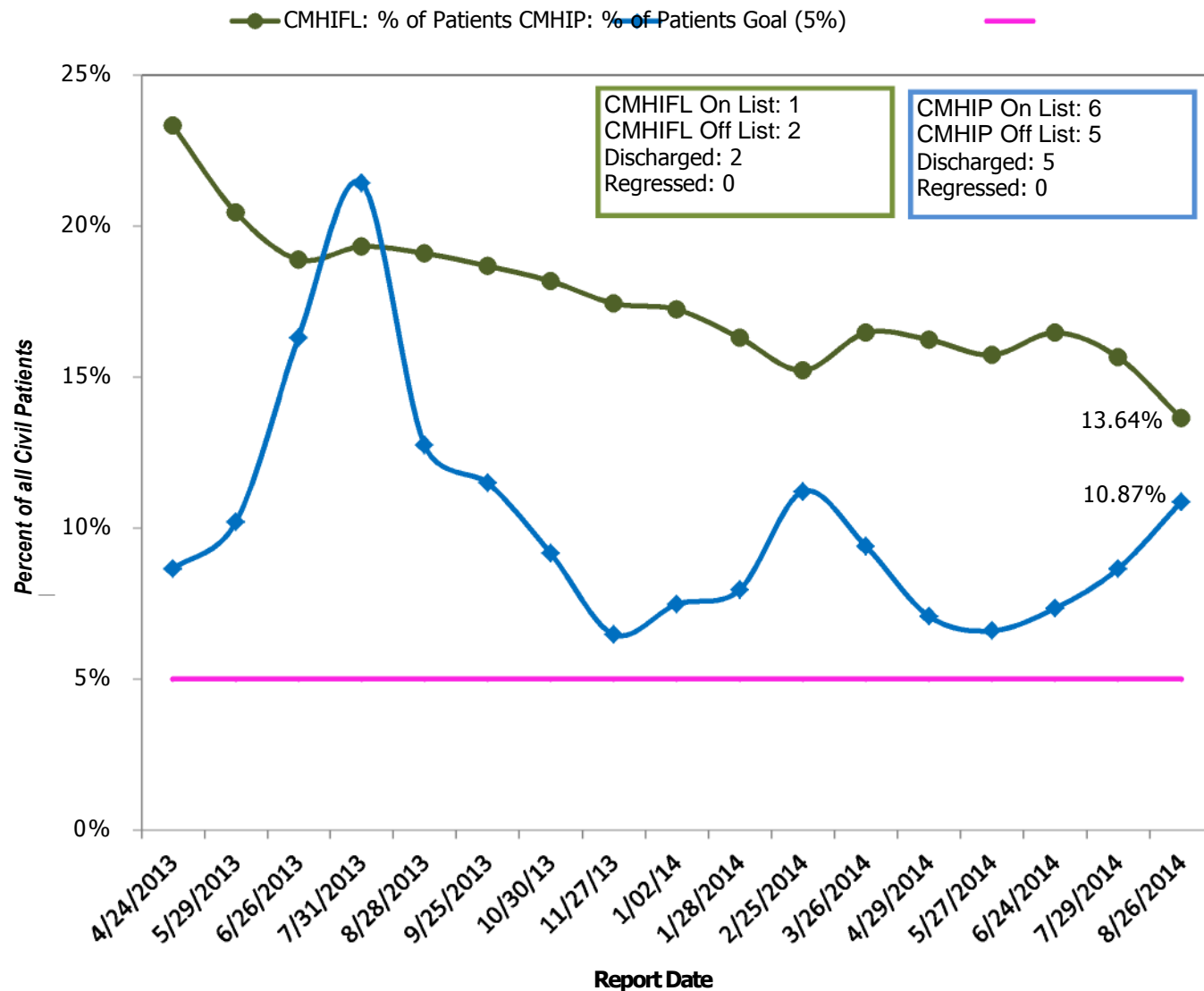


# Percent of Current Civil Patients Ready for Discharge Except for Barriers – CMHIFL & CMHIP

Description of Trend:  
CMHIFL saw the second consecutive month of decreased rates. CMHIP's rates increased for the third month.

Numerator: Civil patients medically ready for discharge but have barriers. CMHIFL: 12  
CMHIP: 10

Denominator: Current number of civil patients; CMHIFL: 88  
CMHIP: 92



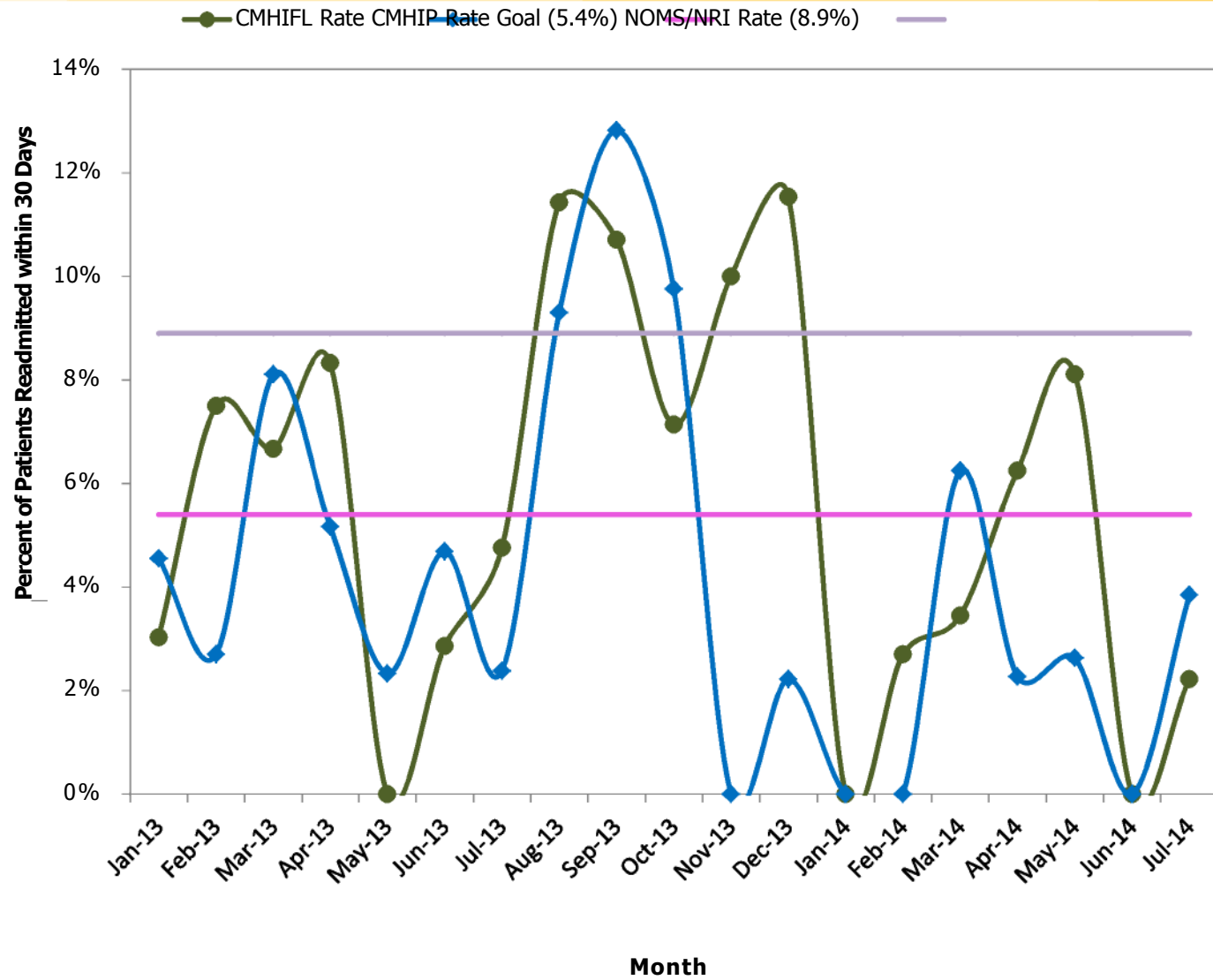


# Percent of Civil Readmissions within 30 Days – CMHIFL & CMHIP

Description of Trend: Both Institutes saw an increase in rates over the past month, but stayed below the established goal and NRI rate.

Numerator: # of Civil patients readmitted within 30 days of July discharge.  
CMHIFL: 1  
CMHIP: 1

Denominator: # of Civil patients discharged in July.  
CMHIFL: 45  
CMHIP: 28





# Percent of Civil Readmissions within 180 Days – CMHIFL & CMHIP

**Description of Trend:** Rates declined at both Institutes over the past month, and CMHIP fell below the established goal for the first time since January 2014.

**Numerator:** # of Civil patients readmitted within 180 days of discharge, based on discharged between 8/1/13 and 1/31/14.

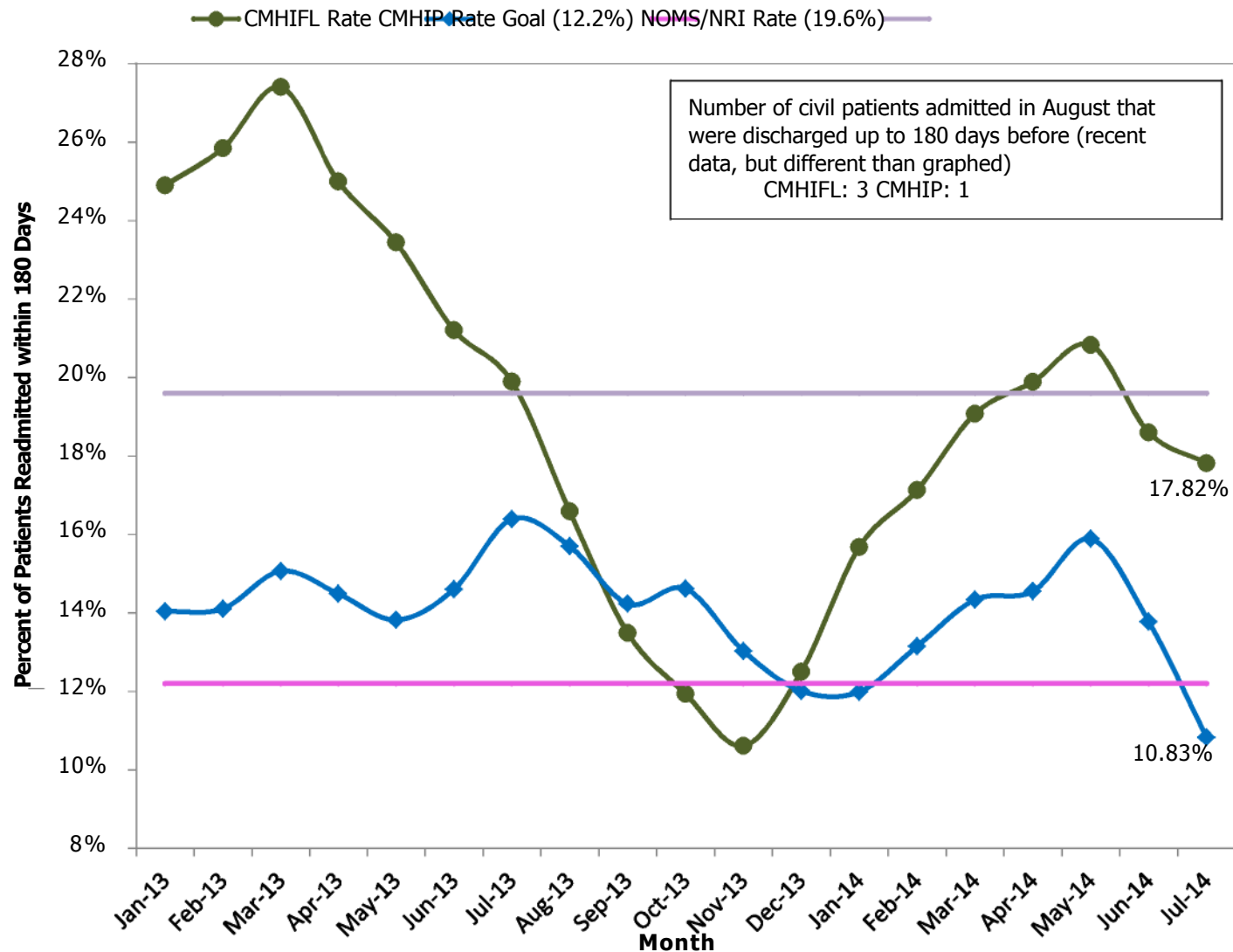
CMHIFL: 31

CMHIP: 26

**Denominator:** # of Civil patients discharged between based on discharged between 8/1/13 and 1/31/14.

CMHIFL: 174

CMHIP: 240



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